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THE Hereditary Prince and Princeſs of Brunſwick will arrive here To-morrow in the Afternoon. Prince Lewis of Brunſwick is gone this Evening to Utrecht to meet them; and the Duke of York is expected to arrive at the ſame Time, though his Royal Highneſs did not begin his Journey from Hanover with them, having made an Excurſion to ſee Hameln, and other Places in that Neighbourhood.

The Royal Yachts, from England, with their Convoy, arrived at Helvoetſluys on Wedneſday laſt.

General Poſt-Office, June 8, 1765.

PUBLICK Notice is hereby given, That by an Act paſſed the laſt Seſſion of Parliament, "For altering certain Rates of Poſtage, and for "amending, explaining, and enlarging ſeveral Pro-"viſions in the Act of the Ninth of Queen Anne, "and other Acts relating to the Poſt-Office;" It is, amongſt other Things, Enacted,

That Letters between *London* and any Port within the *Britiſh* Dominions in *America*, (in which all His Majeſty's *Weſt-India* Iſlands are included) ſhall pay Single One Shilling, Double Two Shillings, Treble Three Shillings, the Ounce Four Shillings.

That Letters, by Sea, from any one Port to any other Port within the ſaid Dominions, ſhall pay Single Four Pence, Double Eight Pence, Treble One Shilling, the Ounce One Shilling and Four Pence.

That Letters, by Land, to or from any Chief Poſt-Office in *America*, from or to any other Part thereof not exceeding Sixty Miles from ſuch Chief Poſt-Office, or from the Office where ſuch Letters, not paſſing through a Chief Office, may be put in, ſhall pay Single Four Pence, Double Eight Pence, Treble One Shilling, the Ounce One Shilling and Four Pence. And being upwards of Sixty, and not exceeding One Hundred Miles within the ſaid Dominions, ſhall pay Single Six Pence, Double One Shilling, Treble One Shilling and Six Pence, the Ounce Two Shillings. And being upwards of One Hundred, and not exceeding Two Hundred Miles within the ſaid Dominions, ſhall pay Single Eight Pence, Double One Shilling and Four Pence, Treble Two Shillings, the Ounce Two Shillings and Eight Pence. And for every Diſtance not exceeding One Hundred Miles above ſuch Two Hundred, and for every ſuch further Diſtance within the ſaid Dominions, ſhall pay Single Two Pence, Double Four Pence, Treble Six Pence, the Ounce Eight Pence.

That no Veſſel ſhall be permitted to break Bulk, or make Entry in any Port within the *Britiſh* Dominions, where Poſts are or may be eſtabliſhed, until all Letters on board are delivered to the Poſtmaſter of ſuch Port (he paying the Bringer One Penny for each Letter) to be forwarded according to their reſpective Directions, except ſuch as are excepted by the Act of the Ninth of Queen *Anne*; and ſuch as may be brought by Veſſels liable to Quarentine, which laſt are to be delivered to the Perſons ſuperintending the Quarentine, for proper Care, before they are forwarded by the Poſt. And that all Maſters, Mariners, Paſſengers, &c. neglecting to deliver the Letters as aforeſaid, ſhall, for every Neglect, forfeit Twenty Pounds.

That the Poſtmaſter ſhall take for every Letter brought by ſuch Veſſel, for any Place within his Delivery, One Penny, above the Penny paid to the Maſter or other Perſon for the ſame.

That Letters conveyed in *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, not exceeding one Stage, ſhall pay Single One Penny, Double Two Pence, Treble Three Pence, the Ounce Four Pence. And in *England*, above one and not exceeding two Stages, Single Two Pence, Double Four Pence, Treble Six Pence, the Ounce Eight Pence; but theſe Rates are not to affect the Penny-Poſt.

That Letters paſſing between *England* and *Ireland*, through *Carliſle*, *Dumfries*, *Port Patrick*, and *Donaghadee*, ſhall pay the ſame Rates of *Engliſh*, *Scotch*, *Iriſh*, and Packet Poſtage, according to the Diſtance or Number of Stages they are conveyed in each Kingdom, as are ſettled by the Act of the Ninth of Queen *Anne*, or by this Act.

That no Packet exceeding the Weight of Four Ounces ſhall be ſent by the Penny-Poſt; unleſs coming from, or paſſing thereby to the General Poſt.

That Letters paſſing between *London* and *Hamburgh* ſhall pay as Letters between *London* and all other Parts of *Germany*, viz. Single One Shilling, Double Two Shillings, Treble Three Shillings, the Ounce Four Shillings.

That any Officer of the Poſt-Office ſecreting or deſtroying any Letter, Bag or Mail of Letters, containing any Bank Note, Bill, or other Paper, Writing, or Order for the Payment of Money; or ſtealing out of any Letter any ſuch Bank Note, Bill, &c. on Conviction, ſhall ſuffer Death as a Felon.

That any Perſon robbing a Mail, in any Place or in any Manner whatſoever, although it may not appear that any one was put in Fear by ſuch Robbery, ſhall, on Conviction, ſuffer Death as a Felon.

That any Officer of the Poſt-Office, entruſted to take in Letters, and receive the Poſtage thereof, embezzling the Money received, or deſtroying the Letters; or any Officer advancing the Rates on Letters, and not accounting for the advanced Poſtage, ſhall, on Conviction, be deemed guilty of Felony.

That any Poſt-Boy having a Mail or Bag of Letters under his Care, deſerting the ſame before his Arrival at the next Stage; or ſuffering any other Perſon to ride on the Horſe or Carriage along therewith; or loitering on the Road; or not, in all poſſible Caſes, conveying the Mail after the Rate of Six meaſured Miles an Hour, ſhall, on Conviction, before one Juſtice of the Peace, be ſent to the Houſe of Correction for any Time not exceeding One Month, nor leſs than Fourteen Days.

That any Poſt-Boy, ſingly, or in Combination with others, unlawfully collecting, or conveying Letters, or cauſing the ſame to be unlawfully conveyed, ſhall, on Conviction, before one Juſtice of the Peace, forfeit Ten Shillings, to be paid to the Informer, for every Letter ſo unlawfully collected, conveyed, or delivered. And if the Forfeiture is not immediately paid, ſhall be ſent to the Houſe of Correction, for any Time not exceeding Two Months, nor leſs than One Month.

That all Rates of Letters, and all Forfeitures mentioned

mentioned in this Act, ſhall be paid in Sterling Money of *Great Britain*.

The Rates eſtabliſhed by this Act for the Port of Letters between *London* and *Hamburgh*; and the Limitation of the Weight of Packets to be ſent by the Penny-Poſt, commence from *the Fifth of July next*. All other Regulations, Rates of Poſtage, Pains, Penalties, and Forfeitures beforementioned, commence from *the Tenth Day of October next*.

By Command of the Poſtmaſter General,

Henry Potts, Secretary.

St. James's, Auguſt 26, 1765.

Whereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, that the Veniſon-Houſe belonging to South Lawn Lodge in His Majeſty's Foreſt of Whichwood, in the County of Oxford, (of which Foreſt his Grace the Duke of Marlborough is Ranger,) was, on the 28th of laſt Month, in the Night-Time, broke open, and that a Brace of Bucks, and three Buck-Skins were taken away from thence by ſome Perſons unknown: His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned in the ſaid Facts, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them, who ſhall diſcover one or more of his Accomplices therein, ſo that he, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof. H. S. CONWAY.

And as a further Encouragement, his Grace the Duke of Marlborough does hereby promiſe a Reward of Fifty Pounds *to the Perſon making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid; to be paid on the Conviction of one or more of the Offenders.* Marlborough.

Notice is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Lieutenant, and Deputy Lieutenants, of the County of Cumberland, will be held at the Court Houſe in Whitehaven in the ſaid County, on Monday the 9th Day of September Inſtant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, in order to conſider of a proper Time and Place for calling out the Battalion of Militia for the ſaid County, to be trained and exerciſed for the preſent Year.

Lowther, Aug. 27, 1765. James Lowther, *Lieutenant.*

Marine Pay-Office, Craig's Court, Charing Croſs, Auguſt 31, 1765.

In Purſuance of the Direction of the Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty, the Paymaſter of His Majeſty's Marine Forces hereby gives Notice, That on Thurſday next, will be iſſued at this Office, Six Months Half-Pay due to the Reduced Officers of the ſaid Forces from the 1ſt of January to the 30th of June laſt, incluſive.

Eaſt-India Houſe, Auguſt 28, 1765.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England Trading to the Eaſt Indies, do hereby give Notice,

That a Quarterly General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at their Houſe in Leadenhall-Street, on Thurſday the 26th Day of September next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, on ſpecial Affairs.

That the Transfer Books for the Eaſt India Annuities will be ſhut on Wedneſday the 11th of September next, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Friday the 11th of October following.

And that the Dividend Warrants for the ſaid Annuities, due the 10th of October next, will be delivered on Thurſday the 7th of November following.

WHEREAS the Partnerſhip between Meſſrs. Edward Holyday and Charles Dale, Hardwaremen, the Corner of Crooked Lane, Cannon Street, London, is, by mutual Conſent, agreed to be diſſolved on Monday the 2d of September next; This is to give Notice to the Cuſtomers and Creditors of the ſaid Partnerſhip, that the Debts they owe, and the Debts owing them, will be received and paid by Edward Holyday, who will carry on the Buſineſs at the Old Shop the Corner of Crooked Lane, Cannon Street, on his own Account; as will alſo Charles Dale, on his own Account, at the Blue Gate oppoſite Clements Lane in the ſame Street. Dated this 27th Day of Auguſt, 1765. *Edward Holyday.* *Charles Dale.*

WHEREAS Mr. John Collins, deceaſed, a Seedſman, who lived near the Church in the Strand, London, went away about the Year 1730, indebted to Joſeph Palmar, at the Three Angels oppoſite to the New Church in the Strand; alſo to Mr. Clarke, a Taylor, in Plough Court Fetter Lane; alſo to Gyles Tayler, Attorney, in Lyon's Inn; alſo to Mr. Thomas Williams, Peruke-maker, the Corner of Piſſing Alley in the Strand. Any of the above Perſons, or their Repreſentatives, by applying to Mr. Thomas Hodgſon, Merchant, in Guildhall Yard, London, within one Month from this Time, ſhall hear of ſomething to their Advantage, or will be for ever excluded.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankruptcy awarded and iſſued againſt Henry Jenkins, now or late of Cheapſide, London, Watchmaker, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Thurſday the 5th of September Inſtant, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Baptiſt Head Coffee Houſe in Aldermanbury, London, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending one or more Actions at Law or in Equity for the Recovery of, or concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Effects; and alſo to the compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing any Matter in Diſpute relating thereto.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Lockwood and John Wardell, both of Butcher Row in the County of Middleſex, Linnen-Drapers, Haberdaſhers, and Partners, and they being declared Bankrupts, are hereby required to ſurrender themſelves to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 10th and 13th of September Inſtant, and on the 15th of October next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of their Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupts are required to finiſh their Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of their Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Meſſrs. Searle and Cowper, Attorneys, in Caſtle Yard, Holborne.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Higginbotham, of Smithfield, London, Linnen-Draper, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 10th and 13th Days of September inſtant, and on the 15th Day of October next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Parker, in Rolls Buildings Fetter Lane, London.

WHereas the Commiſſioners acting under a Commiſſion of Bankruptcy awarded againſt Joſeph Sorton, of the City of Cheſter, Merchant and Wet Glover, did, on the 29th of July 1754, order the Aſſignees appointed under the ſaid Commiſſion, to make a Dividend out of the Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt then in their Hands, of Ten Shillings in the Pound, on all the Debts proved under the ſaid Commiſſion: And whereas the ſaid Commiſſioners did alſo on the 22d of July 1760, order a further Dividend of Two Shillings and Four Pence Farthing in the Pound, to be made amongſt the Creditors of the ſaid Bankrupt, on the Debts then proved as aforeſaid: And whereas ſeveral of the Creditors have neglected to apply for their Dividends by Virtue of ſuch Orders; Notice is hereby given, that the ſaid Aſſignees requeſt the ſeveral Creditors who have not yet received their Dividends, to make their Application without further Delay, as they want to cloſe the Accounts relating to the ſaid Truſt.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Robert Harvey, late of the City of Briſtol, Soap-maker and Chandler, intend to meet on the 26th of September Inſtant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Mathew Meaſe, Vintner, being the Nag's Head Tavern in Wine Street in the ſaid City of Briſtol, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Johnſon, late of Selbourn in the County of Southampton, Mercer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 28th of September Inſtant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Charles Lover, being the George Inn in the City of Wincheſter, in order to make a Final Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend,

Whereas

WHereas the acting Commiſſioners in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt Henry Cole, of the City of Briſtol, Baker, have certified to the Right Hon. Robert Earl of Northington, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the ſaid Henry Cole hath in all Things conformed himſelf according to the Directions of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by virtue of an Act paſſed in the Fifth Year of his late Majeſty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the ſaid Act directs, unleſs Cauſe be ſhewn to the contrary on or before the 24th of September Inſtant.

THE under-mentioned Perſons claiming the Benefit of the Act lately paſſed for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, the following Notices have been brought to the Printers of the LONDON GAZETTE, to be inſerted in this Paper, and are herein inſerted in Obedience to the ſaid Act.

THE following Perſons being Priſoners for Debt, in the reſpective Priſons, or Goals, hereafter mentioned, do hereby give Notice, That they intend to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament, paſſed in the Fifth Year of the Reign of His preſent Majeſty King George the Third, intituled, *An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors*, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held in and for the County, Riding, Diviſion, City, Town, Liberty, or Place, or any Adjournment thereof, which ſhall happen next after THIRTY Days from the FIRST Publication of the under-mentioned Names, *viz.*

Priſoner in the MARSHALSEA Priſon, in the County of Surry.

First Notice.

Solomon Jacobſon, formerly of Marſh Yard in the Pariſh of St. George in the Eaſt in the County of Middleſex, late of Bear Lane in the Pariſh of Chriſt Church in the County of Surry, Optician.

Priſoner in the KING's BENCH Priſon, in the County of Surry.

First Notice.

Roger Brown, formerly of Great Queen Street Lincoln's Inn Fields, late of the Strand, in the Pariſh of St. Martin in the Fields, both in the County of Middleſex, Gentleman.

Priſoner in WORCESTER Goal for the County of Worceſter.

Second Notice.

Thomas Wood, formerly of Allfrick, late of Broadwas in the County of Worceſter, Miller.

Priſoner in the Caſtle Goal in and for the County of GLOUCESTER.

Second Notice.

Abſalom Harris, formerly of Ablington in the Pariſh of Bibury, Baker, late of Cirenceſter in the County of Glouceſter, Farmer.

THE following Perſons being Fugitives for Debt, and beyond the Seas, on or before the FIRST Day of JANUARY, One Thouſand Seven Hundred and Sixty-Five, and having ſurrendered themſelves to the Goalers or Keepers of the reſpective Priſons or Goals hereafter-mentioned, do hereby give Notice, That they intend to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament, paſſed in Fifth Year of the Reign of His preſent Majeſty King George the Third, intituled, *An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors*, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held in and for the County, Riding, Diviſion, City, Town, Liberty, or Place, or any Adjournment thereof, which ſhall happen next after THIRTY Days from the FIRST Publication of the under-mentioned Names, *viz.*

Fugitive ſurrendered to the Keeper of the Goal in and for the County of CUMBERLAND.

First Notice.

John Buſhby, late of Whitehaven in the County of Cumberland, Grocer.

Fugitive ſurrendered to the Keeper of NEWGATE in the City of Briſtol.

First Notice.

John Lee, late of the City of Briſtol, Mariner.

Fugitives ſurrendered to the Keeper of the MARSHALSEA Priſon, in the County of Surry.

First Notice.

Thomas Umanden, formerly of Hawkhurſt in the County of Kent, late of the Pariſh of St. George the Martyr, in County of Surry, Butcher.

Second Notice.

Thomas Anſdell, formerly of Hull in Yorkſhire, late of the Pariſh of St. George the Martyr in Southwark in the County of Surry, Mariner.

Fugitives ſurrendered to the Keeper of the POULTRY Compter in the City of London.

First Notice.

Solomon Alexander, late of St. Botolph Aldgate in the City of London, Dealer and Chapman.

Second Notice.

Levy Franks, formerly of Caſtle Yard Houndſditch, in the City of London, Dealer and Chapman.

Fugitives ſurrendered to the Keeper of the KING's BENCH Priſon in the County of Surry.

First Notice.

Richard Marſton, formerly of the Iſle of Wight, late of the Pariſh of St. George the Martyr, in the County of Surry, Victualler.

Robert Hancock, late of Taunton Deane in the County of Somerſet, Dealer and Chapman.

Second Notice.

Patrick Coſgrove, formerly of Little Tower Hill in the County of Middleſex, Tobacconiſt, late of the Minories in the City of London, Victualler.

George Luke, formerly of Fiſher Lane in Greenwich, late of New-ſtreet in Deptford, both in the County of Kent, Fiſherman.

Fugitive ſurrendered to the Keeper of the BOROUGH Compter in Southwark, in the County of Surry.

Second Notice.

William Capes, late of the Pariſh of St. Saviour Southwark, Paſtry Cook.

Fugitives ſurrendered to the Warden of His Majeſty's Priſon of the FLEET.

Second Notice.

Francis Pope, formerly of Sweething's Alley, late of Fulham, Mariner.

Domitien Hayoit, late of Paradice Row Chelſea, in the County of Middleſex, China Painter.

Fugitives ſurrendered to the Keeper of the Goal in the Caſtle of LANCASTER, in and for the County Palatine of Lancaſter.

Second Notice.

William Peele formerly of the Iſland of Tortola in the Weſt Indies, late of Leeds in the County of York, Merchant.

Third Notice.

Thomas Brockbank the Younger, late of Nether Houſes, in the Pariſh of Ulverſtone in the County of Lancaſter, Tobacconiſt.

N. B. If any Perſon in the foregoing Liſt of Priſoners ſhall find, on the Peruſal of this Gazette, that there is any Error, ſuch Error ſhall, upon Notice, be rectified in the next Gazette Gratis.

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